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Serial Nos. 23

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1 2 3

Part B. for April, 08

SUBJECT.

Special water-marked tissue paper

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1) From the Supt, Stamp Manufactory
No 69 9.1.8. 9 [No: 12-3/6-7]
Submitting proposal for the manufacture of
the large stock of Three pie paper which is
unfit for use, for printing &
Transfer receipts etc, on the purchase of
a certain quantity of paper

2. To the Examiner P.W.
Comptroller's
Office of Stamps
No. 71 1106—5 & 27.9.05
Forwards Corrs. & the Stamps and calls
for their Opinion

3) From the Examiner P.W. No: 2673/5/22
dated 21.10.05
States that he has no objection to the
use of the paper as proposed, provided it
has a wide border

4) To the Supt Stamp Manufactory
No. 71 5952 & 16.3.06.
States that Mr Narayan Rao Vinekar
of the Deccan Paper mills recommends
that fresh stock of three pie paper
may be purchased from the mills,
and call for a report into the
financial results of giving effect to the
proposal.

5. From the Comptroller No. 6572/2 dated II
11.2 & 4.4.06.
Submits his opinion called for in serial 3

6) From the Supdt. Stamps & Stationery
No 170 & 10.5.06.
Submits his opinion regarding the disposal
of the existing Stock of three pie paper
and Suggests that the question may with
advantage be referred to the Committee to
be appointed.

7) From the Supdt of Stamps No 133 & 2.6.06.
Furnishes his opinion on the question.

8) From the Registrar, Chief Court
No. 397-30 & 19.7.06.
Requests that a fresh Supply of ~~the~~ three
pie paper of a more tenacious
nature may be obtained, as the
existing stock has been pronounced
by all the dist. Magistrates and dist. Jugs
as worthless.
Petition & 11.8.06. from Mr. Narayanrao
Vinekar.
Prays that orders may be sent for the
purchase of paper from the Poona
Paper Mill

9) To Mr. Narayana Rao Vinekar
No 7L1952 & 5.9.06
Forwards Copy of G.O No 5090 L.S.W.
dt 5.9.06. re the purchase of plain
paper for the Manufacture of
Stamps.
To the Supdt Stamp Manufactory
Stationery
Govt Presses
Comptroller.
Accounts

No. 20 2076-87 & 6 11.06.

Ath with a communication with Commissioner
was resident to Councils the Western Circle
and submit a report to give
in Commissioner No. 7E 64957
Engineer where the report of the Commissioner
may be expected
from the Commissioner No. 3572 B 65-3-21/28

10 3592/65

the matter
as been delayed for various reasons

the matter was necessary.

4) to the New Revenue Commissioner, the Complete
Supply of appropriate, subject of Civil Peon
No. 7E 6496-500 dated

5.6.11.06 Yours a Commissioner — to the Revenue
Commissioner as Assessment.

To the Revenue Commissioner No. 7E 9444 9/17-6.

Directs attention to the above

6) have the Revenue (Commissioner No. 01 dated
Enquiries Matter this is for necessary
a decision matter the Commissioner of Grants ordered
On the Committee

7) From the Revenue Commissioner No. 1249 8.9.22
Mentions Note dated the 19.1
the Revenue
Engineer
Commissioner

No. H 554-5 3 & 1.8.09

Appointing Mr. H. Hawkes as an additional member of the Court

1) From the Revenue Commr No. C 63 & 9.8.09
Submits the report of the Committee with his own opinion regarding the reduction after sale price of the papers

2) From the Revenue Commrs.
No. 6826 & 28 8.09
Submits letter & 21.1209 from Messrs Yates forwarding a sample of water mark paper in use in the Pretoria State Lotteries.

2)
22) To the Revenue Commrs
Comptr; Commrs of Stamps; Inspr of Stamps; Supts, Stamp Branch Registrar Chief Court.
No. H. 5309-14 & 14.4.08
Accepts the proposals of the Committee and states that the new paper be coloured azure in order to enable the Public to distinguish the new paper and to prevent any fraudulent use of the former

23 From the Inspr Stamps by
No. 138 & 25.4.08
States that Messrs Jenkinson & Co Ltd have been ordered to supply at an early date 2000 reams of paper of approved pattern with the watermark and the lines of colour as in the [illegible] Pretoria paper

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(S.R.)

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File. No 46-05

FILE-HEADING.

Three-core boats

From

The Superintendent Naval Manufactory

N 67 Dated The 18th Sept 05 Received 20.9.05

Diary No. 1236 Enclos. Spare Copies. Serial No. /

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER

States that there is now in stock of three pole boats seventeen which are not considered fit for use & cannot be repaired. Asks for authority to dispose of them by public auction. Also states that the general is accustomed to have supply of the three pole boats 100 yds. each. These can be indented for

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The attention of Store Keeper General Controller & the Superintendent of Stores necessary

NOTES—First sheet.

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cretariat.

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ruled for approval of drawing
Twice before there were Complaints
to Govt. about the interior arrangements
of these papers & these files are also
ruled for renewal (J.C. 96-04 & S.R 105-04 Hay Co. Hay P.
the
Hay W.

It is clear from the two
files now submitted that the
Superintendent of Stamps has
been consulted in the
matter the Stat. ... Para 2
in his letter that the Superintendent
of Govt. Press was asked if the
papers could be utilised for the
line checks transfer receipts &
and that in reply he stated that the
wrapper stated that the no-print
on the Surcharge involved an
amount of trouble and labour
as would make the Suggestion impracticable. We therefore now
propose the continued issue
which we think would be
thoroughly satisfactory
Hy 4
ms

Subject to orders

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1-9-05

Report 6
15.5 05
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2. The Examiner P.W.D.
The Comptroller &
The Secretary, Board of Revenue
communicates
No 7K 2266-8.D. dtd 27th September 05
Communicates the
decree for [illegible] common
3. Copy of the 2nd ~~Commissioner~~ annulla & Dewan
remarks in S.R. File 120-05 (Serial
127)

+++. The appeal of the Deccan
paper mills showed me some
superior paper for the manufactu
of stamps. Subsequently I was requested b
the Collector - I
instead of French paper as
now done. The question may be
considered whether French paper
paper for the purpose
Ref C.M. 27/2/06

Mr Narayana Rao Venkan
said that if the lead paper is
stock condemned by every one
is used as printing paper he
owned suffers good & durable
water marked paper which
not a bad suggestion. Every

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Your Complaint about the unsuitableness of the present paper is brought before representative assembly It shall be obtained if the Hon'ble will kindly have the financial portion dealt with from the proposal of Mr Narain Rao Considered. 7+7.

7.3.1906 Dy P.N.K

I had reference to this by which I invite the above. and the Councillor will kindly direct his enquiries accordingly

Secretary. will be good enough to order a note to be put up on the Notes indicated above

Dy C.M. 8/3/06.

To Branch II.

Dy 9 3.3.1906

Re

Submitted.

4 Necessary statistics not being available in the Office to prepare the memo. as Hon'ble Calling for a detailed

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report on the subject from the Supdt. Security Manufactory is called for at present

Paper
6/3 per
mth
4.5.06

Passed
5.3.1906

7.3.06

4 Do the Supdt. Security Manufactory No H 5952, dt the 16th March 06 states that Govt Varanga Veerakan of the Deccan Paper Mills also suggests that until the present stock of paper may be utilised for printing purposes & recommends the purchase of fresh stock from the Deccan Paper Mills which is paid to be of a superior quality and requests the submission of a clear report on the financial result of giving effect to the proposal

Do Pl. Comptroller & the Supdt of Stamps

No H 5952-6-2 dt the 16th March 06

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Remarks for recording copy of the above in Continuation of Minor 2 requesting the early submission of their opinion on the subject as bread called for

5 From the Comptroller
No 5512/2.a.19II 1123. of the 4th April 06
States that the use of a paper which is available to the public for cheque forms is objectionable as it may give room for fraud by facilitating the manufacture of forged cheques and that if however precautionary measures be adopted for rendering it inaccessible to the public by its stopping its sale or otherwise, the subject into the representation may be given effect to.

6 From the Supdt Stamps, Manufactory
No 170. of the 6th May 06.
States that gross receipts of Rs 11,65,22-8-0 during 1898 to the end of June 1905 that

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there will therefore be no loss to Govt if a portion of the existing stock be made over to the Press for printing cheques &c at a low Conference rate with the of the paper now used for the purpose and suggest to the advisability of referring the question to a Committee to be formed for the purpose

Marg U

5. Some of the members of the Representative Assembly for the Upper Burma represented that the white paper now in use was of a very inferior quality It was then considered whether it was possible to find some profitable means of disposing the present stock which was then decided to last for 18 years. So that a fresh supply of the improved quality may be indented for As this was not found possible. It was decided that nothing could be done until the present stock

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thereat in its usual Course
the Supdt of the Press Mr Hume
Wright was also Consulted
if he could utilise the paper
for printing cheques &c & he
reported that the paper was
unsuitable for the purpose
& that the proposal entailed
much waste & trouble.

67 of 08/9/05
Slip in the file

Mr Yates. The Superintendent
in charge of the Stamp Manufactory proposed an identical
thing which Mr Hume Wright
thought was impossible.
on the ground that the paper
if kept for a long time would
deteriorate in quality, thereby
causing loss to Govt
The Comptroller & the Examiner
of the Public Works Accounts
were consulted in the matter.
The former is of opinion that
the use of a paper which is
unsuitable to the purpose for
cheque forms is objectionable

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~~is unreasonable~~ so as may give room for fresh legislation the manufacture of forged cheques and that if however precautionary measures are adopted for rendering it inaccessible to the public by stopping its sale or otherwise the proposal may be given effect to 'but the letter of Green & Co of Almora makes the' proposal may be given effect to provided the stock of Pice pads is in good Condition

No 2673 dy 21/10/05 & Encl in the file

In the meanwhile Mr. Yates may be asked to report on the practicability of the proposal & the letter and Deputy is a reply to it. His proposal to appoint the question Committee to be formed for the purpose seems sound & the opinion of Stamps had also been Consulted in the matter & he favours the submission of his report in a few days

74595 dy 26/3/06 & (4) in the file.

Marg. V No 1248 dy 8/5/06 & pencil & a recommendation made by him

Submitted accordingly

Please await the Stamp Supts report - mailed 8.5.06

17.5.06

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From the Supt. Central Stamps No 133. of the 2nd June 1906 stating that in order to make the present store of the three pice paper last to minimize loss to Govt, it was used both for Cheque books & for the Stamps Dept for purposes of Departmental service, special precautions being observed & taken to both the Departments & to avoid the fraudulent use of the paper; also points out that Govt will lose Rs 2-5-0 on every piece of this paper used for printing purposes.

Ruled for orders

See Telegram

All the Officers Consulted agree to the suggestion of the Supt of the Stamps, manufactory that the Stock of 3 pie paper may be used for printing D.P.O. Cheques, Remittance Transfer Receipts &c The Supt of the Stamp Manufactory proposes to use all the paper in stock for printing Cheques &c & to get some other letter paper to replace the present 3 pie paper. The Supt of Stamps however

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thinks that it will take long - Generally for the Press now to consume the paper & suggests that part of the Stock may be issued to the Press to print cheques & part issued for sale to the public for some restriction &c as now. If the paper used for printing cheques is available to the public, there is facility for the Commission of fraud, as feared by the Comptr. - It is necessary to ascertain what precautions shd be taken to guard against such fraud. No practical action can be taken on the suggestion of Mr. Hale before the whole matter is carefully considered. He recommends the appointment of a committee to consider his suggestion. The Supdt of Stamps Mr. Hale as Supdt of the Press and of the Stamp Manufactory, and the Examiner of P.W Accounts, may be associated members of the committee. with the leave of the Govt. I submit for orders. Issue of cheques

I would include the Controller

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and make known the residents of the Commune, which shd. [illegible] once and come to a decision before my/his departure for Simla

[illegible]
2 Vermilla

What leave has my/his taken? Who shd. this, Gushing act- [illegible] till he returns?

1043
22/6/06
6.15 pm

This may await his/her return
26/7/1906

Submit to DC for inquiry & then recd in [illegible]

[illegible]
27/7/06

306
27.7.06

seen
[illegible]
27/7/06

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27/7/06

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From the Revenue Chief Court
No 397-30 & the 6th May 1906
I Refers to the discussion
subject no 1100 of 1905: States that
~~to proceedings~~ all Dist Magistrates
& Dist Judges have unanimously
condemned the three pie paper
now in use as worthless; &
requests that a fresh supply of
~~a~~ more paper of a more durable
nature may be obtained

The disposal of the present
stock of the 3 pie paper has to be
~~Void~~ settled by a Committee &
the return of Mr Yates from his
leave is awaited. The Chief
Court's proposal to obtain
a fresh supply of a better paper
may also be considered by the
Committee along with the final
question

Submitted for orders ~~to~~ this may be done

30/12/06

Dair 31/12/06

Copy of the above Chief Court's letter
may be sent to the Supdt of Stationery
for consideration of the Committee
of Supdt Kpn Dr Pilibhit

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Respectfully submitted.
No order has as yet been issued upon the Committee's proposal. The opinion of Mr Yates from the Chief Commissioner's letter, under reference, has also to be received, prior to Mr Ingram's and after the information of the Committee is called for. Order

Case 6/8/06 Keep this in suspense till then
MS 7/8 S 8/8/06

Petition dated 11th August 1906, from Narayan Rao Vinekar

Prays that order may be sent for the purchase of paper from the Poona Paper Mill

As regards plain paper, Mr Narayana Rao Vinekar was informed, on a previous occasion that there is a sufficient supply of paper required for general receipt stamps for 5 or 10 years supply and that as the rates enacted for the Deccan Mills for paper required for Court fee stamps is comparatively very high, Govt are not prepared to purchase this paper from the said mills.

Yours

Jany 27/2/06
R 8090
9124-05-7

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were remains the question of the three pie paper the purchase of this paper and the disposal of the present stock have to be settled by a committee for the formation of which Mr Yates return from leave is awaited the present petition may also be kept in suspense.

submitted apparently Mr Narain Rao in ignorance of the order no H 8090 of 25.5.06 informing him that the post a non-paper has to place the order to the Court fee stamps with him. A copy may now be sent to him.

Submitted with a draft.

ASR 31.8.06

Secy 1/9/06

To Mr Narain Rao Vakeel No H 1952 of 5th September 06 forwards copy of G.O. No H 8090 - S.R. 124-05-7 of 25th May 06 in re the concession of plain paper for the manufacture of stamps.

With reference to the

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Orders on para 12 of Minute
& the Under Secy's orders
in both. If Hon'ble Visitor there
is presumed with
a draft — and an appointment
of a Committee.

submitted to me
23.10.05 with advice. The Mr Scott,
the Public Works Examiner may not be
perhaps available but in the Commn
Secretariat Zenana
25.10.05

I am sorry the Office has
lost a good deal of time over this
matter.

The draft put up may be
~~passed~~ approved early. The
question of withdrawing the 3
papers which are documents at
the Govt's Def: Asst. & the
first must be taken
action in the matter. The Secy Committee
~~The Hon'ble~~ has already recorded
his opinion in favour of the appointment
of a Committee
30/10/05

Draft approved by the Hon'ble
Home Member
31.10.05

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(We write may/all
the end 7 Dec 05 which
time the Committee may be
able to close its work. MY)

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11	To The Secretary Board of Revenue The Secretary P.W.D. The Secretary Govt. Press The Comptroller The Examiner of Accounts & All the Hon'ble Chief Court No. H 3276-87, dt. 10/12/05 I am directed to communicate herewith the petition of the Registrar of the Chief Court dated the Comptroller & All the President to Govt. Notification cancelling Government Order No. 1 dated 1/1/06 and to submit a report to Govt. The Committee report is not yet received and the removal from All the Comptroller (Mr. [illegible]) Principal Regr. All [illegible] A draft is submitted herewith for the orders of the President thereon when the report can be expected. Issue on 21/12/06
12	To Comptroller No. H 4757 dt. 21/12/06

Secy 21/12/06

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	Reasons given by the Committee for the delay
13	From Mr. Consul Dickson No 35&37 dated 21.12.05 States that owing to the absence of Mr Scott on privilege leave, to delay in getting necessary papers from Mr Yates & pressure of Consular business in relation to distinct requirements for various kinds of passes the Committee has been declared & that he has therefore been obliged to leave the matter to be arranged
	Ruled for order to record the delay in getting necessary papers from Mr Yates & has been ascertained that he furnished the necessary information to Consular Section on 11.12.1905 84 22.12.05 WJ 26/12 Messrs Bacon & Scott having both been recruited to the British Service Appointments have to be made in their places. His unfamiliarity, distinct requirements for various kinds of passes is one of the reasons for the delay in the disposal of the

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matter, vacated by Mr. Dadson. The in
cessor is similarly determined,
a Dy Comm.r of the Bangalore Division
or the Rev Comm.r may be appointed
in place of the Comptr and on the
presumption that the Committee
either of these officers would ...
his experience of Dist work would
be also to the Succeeding some use for
the large quantity of paper on hand
The Board the Exam.rs
having been abolished, either the
Asst Comptr in charge of the P.W.D.
Branch of the Comptr's Office, or
the Executive Engineer of the
Bangalore 1st or ~~the Superintending~~
Engineer some other officer
of the Engineering Dept may be
appointed in place of Mr. Scott
to represent the P.W. Dept on
the Committee

Subs.d & Secy

30/12/06

The Rev Comr, the Supdt of the Stamps
Translation & Text Books, the Supdt of Stamps,
& the new Comptroller (who ... are to be appointed
may form the members of the Committee.

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I agree 31/12/07

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Draft as per 2 marginal notes, also for approval of the Dewan

16 I 07

Approved

Submitted to the Dewan for approval

Dewan Sahib 4.I.07.

4/16.1.07

With Rev Secy if he can serve on the committee

2156

Draft approved

3686/7.2.07

Secy 11/2/07

Secy 20.2.07

14 To the Revs: Secy, the Supdt: of Stamps, the Supdt: of Stamp Manufactures and the Supdt. of Govt. Press.

No: R: 6496-2000 dated 28.2.07.

In modification of the G.O: R: 3276-810 6.11.06 appointing a Committee consisting of the Revs: Secy, the Supdt. of Stamp Manufactures & Govt. Press, the Supdt: Stamps & the Cashier: (to be newly appointed) with the first named officer as its President to discuss the question & submit a report to Govt:

The matter seems to have been lost sight of by all concerned. A draft requisition to the Revs Comr as the President of the Committee,

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when the sch. and Cos. to be selected is submitted for orders or other orders thereon

Issue on 22.6.7

15 From the Rev. Commr. in Ellypore, No. 7L 9267. 8/7. 6.07.

Invites attention to G.O. No. 7L 6496 = 500, S.R. 46-05 = 16 & 28.2.07 appointing a Committee to consider the suggestions of Mr. C.H. Yates for the speedy consumption of the large stock of the Special Water marked 3 rie paper by publishing it for printing Cheques &c.

16 From the Revenue Commissioner in Ellypore, No. 867, 9/13.7.07.

Enquiries whether it is not necessary or desirable that Mr. Shankes, the Commissioner of Stamps, should be nominated as a member of the Committee appointed by G.O. re the speedy consumption of the large stock of Special water-marked 3 rie paper

Submitted for orders

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Hon Mr Lee. Comr
to read on 25/7/07
Forwards Hon C Wales
letter of the 19th inst on Assistant
Health Officer Mr Lee
recommended as a member of the
Committee in place of the Comptroller
relieved because of [illegible] excused
from Several on the Committee.

Submitted for orders
Secy
25/7/07
MK
25/7. Genl Secy

25/7

Mr Sparrow may be appointed
a member of the committee in place of
Mr Majumdar

SB
25/7
Mr
31/7

5405/31.7.07 Comm[illegible]

1/8/1907
Hillsteer

Lee. I never said I was desirous of being
excused from sitting on the Committee. I told
Verbally
Sir John, that I did not like the meeting

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Whenever convenient this other members, when I can [illegible] might be considered.

(-- 3.8.07

Initialled

Mr. 3-8-07

Resubmitted to the Secretary for perusal of Mr Marindin's note above. Rules must evidently have misunderstood What Mr Majumdar stated in conversation in the Circs Mr Majumdar was [illegible] the Committee & Mr Shanks may also be added to it.

463/0818/07

Yes, I agree with draft

19/8

Draft

19/8

2nd 1908

14/8

Agreed Mr. 15/8/07

Subject to Secretary's instructions

Mr. 15/8/07

Draft submitted

Issued Mr. 8/9

1908

Rec. Corresp. & Comm. & Stamps

Vide 2854-5 of 24/8/1907

G.P.B.—50,000—25-10-05

G. R. S. 12]
General and Revenue
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Serial No.

Copies of Messrs Thacker Spink & Co's Cover & Exhibition Cover & Stamps as an Addendum to the Committee.

9 From Meerut Comr
No C63 of 9/2/10
Submits the report of
the Committee with his order
& opinion regarding the
reduction of the Cost sale
price of the paper

The Committee have
agreed to the proposal to
utilize the existing stock
for printing forms & Covers
which are of a temporary
nature. The Govt Central
Press wishes to exhaust
the present stock in 2 years
It is also proposed to give credit
to the Dept the value of other
kind of paper in lieu of both
the special watermarked
paper is used for printing
purposes Mr. Ktie minutes &

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it is expected that the depot will require about Rs 13125/- or 3% of the annual cost price of the stores. As one of the most important precautionary measure it is proposed to store the new papers to come into use on a particular date to be fixed by Govt & to withdraw from that date the old papers & 2000 reams of the new papers have to be at once received for the purpose. The Committee have recommended 2 samples of papers one at 6 annas per lb & the other at 0-4-7 per lb. It is not clear whether the rates quoted are for Bangalore delivery or at the place of manufacture. If the latter the total cost payable for the Bangalore delivery may not be much below the rate of 7 annas for the Indian papers of about weight

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the same qualities of paper the sample of which is now forwarded to Govt.

The first question that has to be considered in this connection is how to meet the cost of purchasing the fresh stock.

A sum of Rs. 1000/- is to be debited in the reduction of the selling price of each paper from 3 pies to 2 pies.

Excepting the Rec-Comptroller, the members of the Committee are not in favour of reducing the price for the present.

A fresh watermark is also proposed for the paper to be newly purchased.

Submitted for orders

Sd/-
26/9/06

No action can be taken in the matter before the new paper is ready for Sale to the Public. The Comptroller of Stamps may be called upon to arrange for the early purchase of the new paper and as soon as that has been

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is available orders regarding the disposal of the present paper and the precautions to be taken to prevent fraud may be issued. The money for purchasing the Stock for two years Consumption shd be found from the Stamp Budget but if this Com not be one, it shd be possible to find the required money from the ~~Stationery~~ budget of the Stationery Dept as the three pie paper take the place of other paper which would otherwise have been bought by that Dept. If orders are passed regarding the particular paper (from Sample have been sent) to be used, this Stamp Comee may be asked to order stock.

But this might have already been ordered & paid for & agreed to be taken & paid for. CSB 27/9

Bombay Secretariat) 26.9.)

I think the proposals of the Committee may be accepted, and the present 3 pie paper replaced by another kind of paper the Sample no 11 (4as 7ps per lb). I think the paper may be coloured azure as in the

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Colour sample enclosed with the Committees report. The colour will serve to distinguish the new paper from the old & will prevent to some extent any fraudulent use of the old paper, by bringing the change prominently to notice.

The price of the new paper may remain at 3 pies per sheet just as at present. All kinds of Stamp & Court fee revenue are taken so far as this 3 pie paper is concerned the law it does not press heavily on anyone & I do not see why Govt should give up a source of revenue collected easily & ~~without~~ without particular hardship to people.

The precautions suggested in introducing the new & withdrawing the old paper may be adopted.

The cost of 2000 reams would be about 4000 Rs & may if possible be met by reappropriation.

The question of guards may be further considered after the other points are decided upon.

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Dewan through 2nd C

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Of the two new samples of paper proposed to be substituted for the present 3 pice paper I would adopt the unanimous suggestion of the Committee and accept Sample No. 11 2.4.1 per ream. The color should I think be white having regard to the inferior kinds of ink used by people in the districts.

The price of the new paper may remain 3 pies as at present. The question of reduction of rate may be considered later on after we gain some experience of the new paper & how the district work out.

The necessary precautions against fraudulent use of the discarded stock should be taken as suggested by the Committee.

The issued GR stamps may be used to affix 2000 reams of paper Sample No. 11

28/9/07

W. Hutchinson
2 D Council

Date of introducing the new paper

Method used upon receipt of stock from Press

Nature of GR stamps used

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Mr
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The recommendations of the Committee may be accepted -

Sub'd to Finl Secy)

mm
30/9/1.

Rec'd back from Finl Secy on 5/10/7

Genl Secy) mm 6.10.)

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11-10-07
mr pre

Submitted to Council through 18' Cr

JJS
10/10/07

I generally concur with what the Rec'r of the 2d Committee have written

2 I don't see in these papers any explanation of the circs under which the present 3 pces paper happened to be purchased at all & in such large quantities - Unless we know how the mistake occurred, we shall not be profiting by experience & we may be repeating the mistake - For example the sample no 2 now recommended by Rs very much like the present 3 pces paper which is condemned -

3 The sample no 1 (Cannanore) seems to be the one likely to be satisfactory -

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Corry & if approved by Govt. established will yield an appreciable profit to Govt. if sold at 3 pies per sheet.

4 The azure idea is important. Mr Yates may be requested to advise whether the azure dye will be inimical to the inks & ink powders sold in the bazars.

Yrs truly

G. R. S. 12]
General and Revenue Secretariat.

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6940 18.11.07	Dewan — 17/11

The Dewan wishes to have infor
mation as to the circum
stances under which the three
pie paper was first intro
duced in Mysore and why
such a large quantity was
ordered in the first instan
ce. ...

By
Furnish
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Ruled: This special paper was first introduced in the State at the recommendation of Mr J. J. Leonard, the Supdt of Stationery in G.O. No 2326-7-9-96 dated 4/7/96 (Vide also the then Commissioner Mr Abdul Rahman's note of 30/4/95)

To the requirements of this paper could not be correctly [illegible]

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Sl 5 in Genl Sec File 8-95

Sl no 4 in do

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was introduced a suit for Rs 26,200-4-6 being the amount of Patwari's arrears estimated at Rs 25,000/- was decreed in 1895 Vide Exhibit 42 in E.F. 8-95 and at page 2 of Exhibit Superintendent's letter No 8, dated 22/7/04. The second suit for about Rs 40000/ worth was also decreed in 1897-8 at the instance of the then Superintendent Mr T.T. Leonard (Exhibit 46 in E.F. 8-95 See also Exhibit marked "Y" Z and Ch 91 27 39 40 & 64. in E.F. 8-95)

Q.I.P. Y

Ex I in Court file 94 of 04. 15 Oct 04 Ex 102

Ex 16 in E.F. 8-95

Book II in part I of E.F. 78-95

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3/12/07 Genl. 10
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Secretary

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S.R. File No. 46 of 1905-06.

Serial No.

20 From the Revenue Commissioner,
No. 6486 dated 28.12.07
In continuation of his letter No. Camp
63 of 15.9.07, ~~Deputant~~ submits for
the orders of Govt letter dt 21/12/07 from
Mr Yates forwarding a sample of
water mark paper in use in the
Pudukota State, for adoption.

Orld
The file is before the Secretary
Letters may be issued in Conformity.
Secy
7.1.08
Letter Drawn 8.1.08

Orld on 23/12/07.

Dt 2.1.08

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Secretariat.

SK File No. 46 of 1905-06

Serial No.

1. From the Revenue Commissioner No. 7305 dated 14.1.08 In continuation of his No. 6886 of 23.12.07 (SK 20) forwarding a sample of water mark thro' pie paper, forwards for information copy of Mr Yates' DO letter No. of the 7th inst giving particulars of cost etc of the said pap

1118 on 23/12/07.
on 8/1/08

The file is with the Revenue Submitted in continuation.

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22.1.08

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the proposals of the Committee as also the purchase of Sample No. 11 costing 0-4-7 per the may

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

SH File No. 46 of 1905

Serial No.

be sanctioned - The color of this paper may be in azure - 2000 Reams of the new paper may be pur - chased

K 5/3/1906

Please put up draft early

7/3

9/3

Draft ruled

7/3

The orders are passed regarding the sealer mark recommended by Mr Yates. In the draft however it is stated to have been already subject to alteration

As regards the reduction in the price (selling) there is a separate file (SH 63-06) linked with this one & draft is put up in that file that you do not consider it advisable to reduce the price now

Subd to Sec

14/6/06

Please put up draft as revised

14/6

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Fal and Revenue
Secretariat.

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Subm^d to 2nd cr for approval before issue

8B
7/4/08

approved 14/4/08

13/4/08

issue 8B
14/4

M. G Stamp Dravidian
Bangalore 21-4-08

Dear Sir

With the Govt Proceedings No
7L 5309-14
SR 46-05-22 dated 18th april 1908
I did not receive a sheet for 3 pie
special water mark paper and also
the sample sheet of Undarcotta stamp
paper. I thank you to return
the above sample sheet to print the
work [illegible]

Yours sincerely,
M. G. Ali

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(. R. S. 12]
General and Revenue
Secretariat.

File No. 46 of 1908

Serial No.	
	Budget Clerk Shorthand order and request the amount in the Imperial Bank Due 7.4.08
22	To The Revenue Commissioner The Comptroller The Commissioner of Stamps The Supt of Stamps The Supt, Stamp Manufactory. The Registrar of the Chief Court. No. H 5309-14 dy 14.4.08. Accepts the suggestion of the Committee and approves of the paper (Sample no II forwarded by the Committee) being adopted for use as water mark paper, and states that the new paper be coloured azure in order to distinguish readily the old from the new paper and to prevent any fraudulent use of the former.
23	From the Superintendent Stamp Manufactory. No. 138 dy 25/4/08.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

S. R File No 116 of 1905-06

Serial No.

States that Messrs John Dickenson & Co. Ltd have been ordered by him to supply at an early date 2000 reams of Khaki of approved pattern with the watermark and the Mysore Coat of Arms on the lines of the Indrakota paper.

No further sikum is necessary. The file may now be recorded.

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From C. H. Yates Esquire,
Superintendent of
H.E. Stamps Transactions

To B K. Venkatavaradaiyangar Esquire,
Secretary to the
Govt: of H. H. the Maha
Rajah of Mysore
Genl & Rev Depts.

Dated 18th
Despatched 19 } September.
Received

General No. 67.
No.

Enclosure No)

Sir

With reference to
Govt. Order No. P. 916
C. 94-3
dated 11th October 1901.
I have the honor to
bring to the notice of
the Government that
there is a large stock
of 3 Re. Special under
impression, which
will last for over 15
years. By keeping
such a large quantity
for so long a period
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a large percentage of paper, (which is of inferior quality), will be found damaged, thereby causing loss to Govt.

In my own opinion it will be very advantageous to make use of the whole of the stock in printing D. P. O. Cheques Transfer receipts, Remittances, and other payment receipts, and debiting its actual cost to the Stationery or the Govt: Press, as the Govt: may direct. If this proposal be approved, fresh and better kind of paper may be ordered, as suggested by the Revenue Commissioner in his letter No. 220-5 dated 9th July 1904, to the Superintendent of Stamps, a copy of which is enclosed for the information of Govt:, the fresh supply being restricted to 2 years' requirements at a time. It is a matter for future consideration whether the fresh supply could not be procured at the rate at which the old supply was purchased and how far the revenue from the Stamp point of view will be affected.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

Lt. Waters.

Superintendent of

the Stamp Manufactory.

1905

From T. Caverhill Rowe Esq
BA
Revenue Commissioner
in Yoruba

To
The Superintendent
of Stamps
Lieutenant

Dated 4th July

Despatched July 1904

Received

General No. 220
No.

Enclosure No

Sir,

With reference to
your letter C.N.: 123 dated
14th June 1904 requesting
me to state what
qualities of paper
I would prefer for
Revenue Stamps when
printed and requesting
that a sample may
be sent I have the
honor to forward
herewith the Samples

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Y 5 Kinds of papers received from Messrs Higginbotham & Company Bangalore with prices marked on each

2. The present Government paper is ~~Foolscap~~ ½ sheet (i.e 2 pages) and priced 3 pies. This makes it 6 pies per sheet. ~~Foolscap~~ folio, whereas the samples now sent are priced as follows

Those marked A & B at 3 pies each foolscap folio, and C & D at 4 pies each These are very much superior to Government paper and if bought in large quantities or by tender, there may be a saving. I would recommend papers A & B sent.

I have etc

W. Strachan Major
for Accountant

True Copy

C.M. Yate

Asst. Secy.

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File No. 46/05

Serial No. 2

Diary No. of letter replied to 1236

No. HO 2266-8

General and Revenue Secretariat

, the 17-9-1905

Date of issue 18/9

Signed by [illegible]

To Here enclosed letter No 1 of the 8th Settlement from the Supdt Madras Manufactory proforma to enumerate the present stock of these articles for submitting the P.R.'s Cheque &c

Copy forwarded for favour of opinion

(1) The Examiner P.C.O.
(2) The Comptroller P.C.O.
(3) The Superintendent Govt Stamps

P.C.O.

18/9/05

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over.

SUBJECT.

SR 46-05 & (3) D 1718

Mysore Public Works Department,

Central office of Accounts.

From

The Examiner

P.W.Accounts of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government

of H.H.The Maharaja of Mysore,

General & Revenue Departments.

No. 2673/S.22 dated Bangalore. 21/23 October 1905.

Sir

With reference to your Memo No.FI-2266-8/S.R.46-05-2 dated 27th ultimo forwarding for opinion copy of letter - No.67 dated 18th idem from the Superintendent of Stamp - Manufactory suggesting to make use of the whole stock of 3 die special water marked paper in printing P.W.D.Cheques etc. I have the honor to state that I see no objection to the use of the paper as is proposed provided the stock is in good condition as represented by the sample sent me by the Stamp Office

I have the honor to be.

Sir.

Your most obedient servant,

Examiner,

P.W.Accounts of Mysore.

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File No. 46-05

Serial No 4

Diary No. of letter replied to _____

No. 7/3495

General and Rev. Secretariat

J. P.

, the 16-3 1906

To The Superintendent of the Stamp Manufa

Date of issue dc

Signed by W. Jamieson (Asst.)

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 67 of the 8th. September 1905 proposing to utilize the present stock of three pice papers for printing the P. W. D. Cheques &c., I have the honor to state that the Examiner of the P. W. accounts has no objection to your proposal provided the stocks are in good

over.

SUBJECT.

Condition ~~as represented by the Sample said to have been sent to him from your office~~. The Conservator to the Govt and the Superintendent of Stamps who were also consulted in the matter, have not yet furnished their opinion and ~~they~~ have been reminded of it.

2. Mr Narayan Rao of the Deccan Paper mills Co. Vinekar, a leader in Gadag also suggests that the present stock of the above paper being may be utilized for printing purposes and recommends the purchase of a fresh stock from the Deccan Paper Mills whose

List of enclosures,

Copied by

Examined by

MGCPB—20,000-19-12—04.

G.R.S. 27]

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation Sheet draft form.*)

Please ~~space to be~~ of a superior quality ~~Candles of which a~~ sample have been already furnished to you) ~~A~~ in June of superior quality

In January month ~~A~~ Col. No. of Mr Narain's Rec's letters of the 23rd Feb 1906 and ~~are attached hereto~~

Note 1 & 2 in S.R. 124 ~~no~~ ~~receipt letter~~ of the 2nd inst. Copies are herewith, ~~forwarded to you~~ for your information. I am to request the favor of ~~being~~ ~~furnished with~~ your submitting a clear report on the financial result of giving effect to the above proposal.

Yours &c

Secretary

No 7L 5957-1L

dt 16-3-06

dt 7.3.06

Copy to the Superintendent of Stamps & the Comptroller in Continuation of this Office memo. No. 6L &

10.

— S. R. 66-05-2. of the
27th. Septr 1905. with a
request ~~that~~ that his opinion on the subject
which was called for when may be furnished at
~~early consideration of the~~ an early date.
~~opinion in the matter~~

B. G.
9.3.1906

Secretary

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No. 55-12/1123

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT

Dated Bangalore, the 4th April 1906.

FROM

RAI N. G. BASU BAHADUR, M.A.,

COMPTROLLER. MYSORE GOVERNMENT.

To

B.K. Venkatavarada Iyengar, Esq.,

SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,

General and Revenue DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

Adverting to your official Memorandum No. Fi.2266-8/S.R.46-05-2 dated the 27th September 1905 forwarding for my opinion copy of letter No. 67 dated the 18th September 1905 from the Superintendent of Stamp Manufactory suggesting that the large quantity of three Pie papers in stock, may, for the reasons therein stated be made use of for printing D.P.W. cheques, Transfer receipts &ca., I have the honour to state that the use of a paper, which is available ~~both~~ public for cheque forms is objectionable as it may give room for fraud by facilitating the manufacture of forged cheques. If however precautionary measures be adopted for rendering it inaccessible to the public by stopping its sale or otherwise the Superintendent's proposal may be given effect to.

I regret the delay in the disposal of this reference as your official Memorandum under advertance was though oversight, filed in the office under a misapprehension that it was forwarded for information and needed no reply.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Comptroller.

E.C.S.

11/ Dec 5/4/

D 4122

Treasury Accounts Department.

1906.

From

Rai N. G. Basu Baladur, M.A.,
Comptroller, Mysore Govt.

To

B. K. Venkatanarasa Iyengar Esq.,

Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,
General & Revenue Dept.

Dated 4
Despatched 5 } April
Received
No. 55/12
T. & D. F. 1123

Subject Matter.

Attaching Bhio Official Memorandum No. Fe 2206-8 & 27/9/05, SR. 46-05-2 states that the use of three pie postage which is available to the public for Cheque forms is objectionable as it may give room for fraud by facilitating the manufacture of forged Cheques & that the Inspr's proposal may be given effect to.

No 170 Enclosure

11/Dec 11/5

From

No 53

3 R 46-05 D. 472 (6) 12

Office of the Stamp Manufactory
Kumaloor 7th May 1906.

C. H. Yates Esqr
Superintendent of Stamp
Manufactory.

To

B. K. Venkatavarda Iyengar Esquire,
Secretary to the
Govt of H. H. the Maharaja
of Mysore
General, Revenue Depth.

Sir,

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 7R-952/3R 45-05-2 dated 16th March 1906 I have the honor to report that the sample sheet submitted by the Deccan Paper Mills appears suitable for 3 Pie special water marked paper. The price quoted being 9 Annas per lb delivered at the factory against 8 Annas per lb for that at present.

Enc DO to Mr. B. Gopalaungar, a copy of which is enclosed covers the whole ground of the question of

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the 3 Rs paper, and the undersigned requests an early order upon the same.

Financially Government have realized a net profit of Rs 16833-8-0 since 1898 up to the 2nd of June 1905 as noted in the margin. There will therefore be no actual loss to Government if a portion (as suggested in the letter to Mr. B. Golal Sugar) is made over to the Press at the rate quoted.

I would suggest that a small Committee be formed to discuss this subject and that a joint report be sent to Government for final and early orders.

I have the honor to be.

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

W. Yates

Superintendent of Stamp Manufactory

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× Supply Head during 1898-9:- Total Cost Rs 66224-0-0. Quantity sold 92401 Reams. Value Realized Rs 83057-8-0 Net Profit Rs 16833-8-0. 1106 Reams 20301 Reams

Government Press
Bangalore

W. Sopaliengar Esq re
Officer in Charge
of Stare Museum
Treasures

Dear Sir,

In re to the paper about
which you have written me
today, I beg to state that
at the present rate of
consumption the stock
will last for about ten
years. This does not take
into consideration possible
deterioration of the quality
of the paper during that
time

I find that the paper
has been in use for nine
or ten years and that
only

only very few complaints have been made as to its quality - and I think if there are no others grounds for rejecting the paper, that it may very well be continued for its present purpose. But as it is necessary to exhaust as large a stock as soon as possible I am quite of opinion that the press might use a portion of it for cheque Challans, Tanajan receipts &c. in use in all the Districts including Taluka and in the D.P.W. If this plan were adopted, great care would have to be observed in the press when issuing the said paper for printing purposes It would always have to be cut into two or more pieces before

Lodge has placed in the hands of the Treasurer and proper checks made to receive said Communication

As I have stated in previous correspondence, the press would take supplies only as required and at a price corresponding with the paper now used for cheque and receipt books &c. If this suggestion be carried out I think the whole supply would be consumed in five or six years. After seeing your samples & the various Petition papers & other stated and Communication and hearing in mind the necessity of making a fair profit on the paper I think we would be a great pity

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to reject it because a few people have thought me to complain of the quality of the paper in question.

Dated 12 April 06 Yours Sincerely,

(Signed) C.H. Yates
Superintendent
South Press.

"True Copy"

Clt. Yates.

Ex. Superintendent
Stamp Manufactory

11/Aug/06 SR 46-05 Dl 5120 (7) 4/9/06 S.K.

From the Stamp Superintendents office,
Bangalore, 2d June 1906.

From,

L. Krishtopanth Kadami Esqr BA
Officiating Superintendent of Stamp
Mysore Government
Bangalore

To

No 133.

S. K. Venkataramanayya Esqr
Secre. to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
General & Revenue Departments.
Bangalore.

Sir,

In reply to your memo No. Dl 2266-8 / SR 46-05-2 dated 27 September 1905 forwarding for my opinion copy of letter No 67 dated 15. 9. 05 from the Superintendent of the Stamp Manufactory to the Government, concerning his proposal for utilizing the Stock of 3 pie-papers and the Secretariat reminder No. Dl 5953-4 / SR 46-05-2 dated 16 March 1906 thereon, I have the honor to State that

that I concur with the Superintendent of the Stamp Manufactory in his views regarding the undesirability of keeping the present Stock of 3 pie-papers, which is already ten years old, for a further period of about fourteen years which the Stamp Depart-ment will take to exhaust it at its present rate of Consumption, if used exclusively by itself. But as regards the remedy suggested by him, of transferring the entire Stock to the Press Office to be utilized for printing cheque forms &c, I beg to state that the object in view cannot be realized by this arrangement, since the Press Office itself cannot, as the Superin-tendent of the Press thinks, use up these papers in less than ten years, a period almost equally long.

I would therefore think that the best means of utilizing the

paper

paper so as to exhaust the Stock in as short as possible and to minimise loss to Government, as to cause it to be very used both by the Press for cheque books &c, and in the Stamp Department for purposes of Departmental revenue. It has been ascertained from the Superintendent of the Government Press and Stationery, that by this joint use at the present rate of Consumption in the two departments, the present Stock might be exhausted in about 5 or 6 years special precautionary measures, have to be taken by both the Departments to prevent the fraudulent use of the paper

As to the financial aspect of the proposal it may be stated that the Government will lose upon every ream that is issued to the Press a sum of Rs 2-5-0 which represents the difference between the actual cost price of each ream,

and

and that at which the paper now used by the Press for cheque forms &c is purchased. This appears to be unavoidable, as the Stock is to be exhausted soon, to prevent its gradual deterioration in quality, and consequently becoming useless some time after.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

[signature]

Off[g] Superintendent of Stamps

Actd.

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Colombo Council Chambers

Municipal Council

From:-

V. Kanagaratnam

Registered Editor - Owner of Newspaper.

To,

The Hon. Chandrasekara Suriyagoda,
Secretary to the Government of
Ceylon
General and Revenue Depts

Sir,

11 am
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I am directed to state that in the Three-Five special Police Force supplied in the Treasuries to the Municipal Public for the purpose of Guarding Prisoners &c to be tried in the Council in this Island has been found by experience to be quite unsuited for the purpose

that

for which it was prescribed. It is very brittle and gets easily torn at the folds, sometimes even during the pendency of cases and thus the very object of securing the long preservation of important documents written thereon is utterly frustrated.

2. Since the meeting of the last Representative assembly when it was one of the subjects* for consideration fuller enquiries have been made and all the District Magistrates and District Judges have unanimously condemned the paper as worthless.

* Vide Subject No: 170

3. I am therefore to request that Government may be pleased to order the supply of paper of a more tenacious nature

so that it can stand the necessary wear and tear in handling and also can be preserved long.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

your most obedient servant,

Otto Hirschfeld

Register

4821 SR 46-05 Sl.no 81

To

His Excellency V. P. Madhavrao, B.A., C.I.E.,

D E W A N,

M Y S O R E S T A T E.

The humble petition of Narayen Anant Vinekar, Pleader, of Gadag. District Dharwar, Agent to the Poona Paper Mill.

Respectfully Sheweth-

1. That your Excellency's petitioner had been favored with an interview in Madras while your Excellency had been the Dewan of Travancor and that in the course of the interview, your Excellency's petitioner begged permission to supply the Travancore Government with the paper manufactured by the Poona Paper Mill. Your Excellency's petitioner then obtained samples of the paper used by the Travancore Government, and sent an application to that Government to which no reply has up to now been received. Subsequently hearing of your Excellency's appointment as Dewan of Mysore, yo Excellency's humble petitioner went to Bangalore to seek an int -view, and offer congratulations. But having fallen ill, he had unfortunately to leave Bangalore without paying his respect and offering his congratulations to your Excellency. When your Excellency's petitioner recovered from the illness he could n see your Excellency as your Excellency was then at Nilgiri your Excellency's petitioner was called away to Gadag, and subsequently to Bombay. owing to the illness of a member of hi family.

2. Your Excellency's petitioner before interviewing you Excellency had obtained an interview of his Excellency the late Dewan of Mysore and given to him samples of the pap by the Poona Paper Mill. Of the samples given b namely one of the paper supplied to the Gove

the other of the paper supplied to the Nizam's Government by that Mill with the water marks of those respective Governments were tested by the Superintendent of Stationery of Mysore, and passed, and accordingly on the 25rd of February your Excellency's petitioner sent quotations of rates of those papers, and an application to the Secretary as directed by the Counsilor Rao Bahadur Madiah

3. As the 3 pie and Stamp paper of the Government of Mysore has deteriorated, your Excellency's petitioner applied to his Excellency the late Dewan of Mysore for permission to supply the paper of the Poona Paper Mill, as per sample supplied. His Excellency thereupon passed an order for the purchase of new paper, as the old 3 pie and stamp paper had deteriorated, and sent the same to the Councilor Rao Bahadur Madiah. But both the Officer having since retired your Excellency's petitioner does not know how his petition was disposed off.

4. In the meanwhile in the course of the correspondence between your Excellency's petitioner and the Superintendent of Stamps Mysore, the Superintendent was pleased to transmit to him samples of 3 papers, and to inform him that there is a stock of general Stamp paper on hand, and that only 200 reams of Court fee paper of 4½ lbs. in weight per ream were wanted, and to ask me to quote the rate of such paper. Although the order was a small one, and although it involved a specially vast expense on account of the special water marking machinery required to be ordered for marking 18 labels on each paper, and although no margin of profit remained to the Paper Mill in consequence, your Excellency's petitioner quoted a 14 anna rate per pound, and forwarded his reply to the Superintendent of Stamps with the hope that orders for paper in future would be placed with him. But your Excellency's petitioner does not know how his letter was disposed off.

5. Although the Superintendent of Stamps stated that the stock of general stamp paper on hand was big enough to sufficeion 5 years more, still taking into consideration the deteriorated

state of the paper his Excellency the late Dewan was pleased to order that new paper should be purchased. But your Excellency's petitioner does not know how the order of His Excellency the lat Dewan has been given effect to

6. As the 3 pie paper is used for the purposes which require that the paper should be durable and tough, the paper which is used for general stamp paper seems to be best for such purpose and therefore your Excellency's petitioner in his letter to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore agreed to supply such paper with the necessary water marks of the Mysore Government at 9 anna per pound. But having received a letter from the Superintendent of Stationery of Mysore asking your Excellency's petitioner to send fresh samples. your Excellency's petitioner sent two more new samples with the water marks of the Government of India.

7. Your Excellency's petitioner further wishes to bring to your Excellency's notice that the Poona Paper Mill prepares its paper out of rags, that it is a purely Native enterprise, that it has already secured the patronage of the Governments of India and Bombay and of the Nizam's Government, and the Governments of several other Native States. as will be seen in a reference to the copy of the letter written to your Excellency's petitioner by t Manager of the Poona Paper Mill. Your Excellency's petitioner therefore hopes that under your Excellency's enlightened and patriotic Government of Mysore, the patronage of the State will be extended to this native enterprise which will ever be ready to comply with all requisitions of the Government with the greatest expedition possible. Your Excellency's petitioner further adds that if any more information be required of him he would be happy to come in person if necessary, and supply the requisite information.

8. Your Excellency's petitioner therefore humbly prays that on a consideration of this petition along with his petition to the late Dewan dated 2nd March and his letter to the Secretary dated 23rd February 1906 and his letter to the Superintendent of

Stationery dated 25th April'06 and the samples sent to the latte Officer, and also of the report of approval made by the Superintendent as regards the quality of the papers forwarded by your Excellency's petitioner.

Your Excellency may be graciously pleased to grant the request made by your Excellency's petitioner by sending orders for papers to your Excellency's petitioner, for which act of grace your Excellency's petitioner will, as in duty bound. ever pray.

I beg to remain,
Your Excellency's most humble
& obedient Servant.

Franch Bridge North No.2
Bombay, 11 August 1906.

Narayen Rao
Venkay.

THE DECCAN PAPER MILLS Co.,Ld.

POONA, 17th November 1905.

No.P./583 of 1905.

To

Narayenrao Anant Vinekar. Esq.

Dear Sir,

We beg to state that the samples of papers of different qualities, including Brown, Blotting and Note Papers required by you for submission to the Superintendent of Stationery, Mysore State will be forwarded to you shortly with their prices delivered at Hadapsar Railway Station near our Mills.

We further beg to state that at present we supply papers of our Mills to the following:-

1. Superintendent of Stationery, Bombay.Presidency.
2. The Kholapur State.
3. The Sangli State.
4. The Jamkhandi State.
5. The Phaltan State.
6. The Nabha State.
7. The Akalkote State.
8. The Mudhol State.
9. The Hyderabad Deccan.(Paper for Stamps)

Please note that we have been awarded a Gold Medal in the lat Exhibition at Bombay, for the excellence of our papers amongst good many other exhibits from other Mills, as also Silver Medals in the late Exhibition at Ahmedabad and Pimpalgaon Devi Fairs.

Yours faithfully,

(Sd). N. Pudumjee & Co.

Secs: Mangrs. & Treas

(True Copy)

Narayen Rao

Vinekar

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From C. H. Yates, Esq.,

Superintendent of Stamp Manufactory.

To Naraven Rao Vinekar,

Pleader,

G A D A G (Dharwar District.)

Dated 9th.
Despatched 10th. } April 1906
Received

General No.160.

Enclosure No.4

Sir,

In reply to your letter dated 7th April 1906. I have the honor to note below the particulars you require, as far as possible.

1. Quantity of General Stamp paper required for 10 years- 2,500 Reams.

Quantity of Court Fee Stamp for 10 years- 600 Reams.

-do.- Receipt Stamps for 10 years- 120 Reams.

-do.- 3 Pie Special Water-marked Paper for 10 years- 9000 Reams.

As to time, I cannot undertake to say that Government will consent to give a contract for 10, or any number of years.

2. The weight of General Stamp Paper is 24¾ lbs. Size 15¾"x 25⅝

-do.- Court Fee Stamp Paper is 4½ lbs. Size 11½" x1[illegible]

-do.- 3 Pie Special Water-marked Paper is 7 lbs. Si[illegible]

Size 8⅛" x 13½"

3. The sample Sheet of each kind of paper is herein enclosed which please return.

4. We have a five years' supply of General Stamp Paper on hand, and a ten years' supply of Receipt Stamp Paper. Under these circumstances it is scarcely necessary to quote for these papers. But you may do so if you wish- 200 Reams of Court Fee Paper only.

will be taken this year.

5. Supply of paper will be indented every second year.

6. A reasonable time would be given for the execution of the first indent.

The quality of the several papers would have to be in every way equal to the samples, both as regards the material and the colour, and the several water-marks would have to be exactly imitated. Failure in this respect would necessitate our returning the paper. The exact position of the water-marks would also be an important matter. With regard to the 3 Pie paper, a better quality is wanted- one that will fold frequently without breaking

If you care to supply samples and rates upon these condition I shall be pleased to carefully consider the same, and report to Government.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

(Sd). C. H. Yates.

Superintendent of

(Sd). D. K. Stamp Manufactory.

True Copy

Vanayen Rao

Assistant

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Serial No. 10

Diary No. of letter replied to 827

No H 1952

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General and Revenue Secretariat

To

Here enter order no. H:8090 SR. 124-05-7 dated 25th may 1906

the 4 Septr 1906.

Date of issue

Signed by

Copy of the above to be forwarded to Mr Narayanarao Vinekar Pleader & Cadaer, with reference to his petition dated 11th August 1906 in regard the three pie paper he is informed that order of government will be communicated to him in due course.

Secretary.

Asst
3.8.06

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Serial No. 4

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Diary No. of letter replied to 827

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Sel-Ser)

READ.— Letter no 97 & the 8th Sept 1905 from the Supdt Chamarajendra Mansion offering suggestions for the speedy Consumption of the large stock of special watermarked & Viceroy in utilising it for printing Cheques, Transfer-Receipts & Refunds from the Controller the Examiner W&O accounts, and the Superintendent of Stamps agreeing to

over

Date of issue 6 Nov 1906

Signed by W. M. Kennedy

ORDER THEREON.—No

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received at 1-55 P.M.

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the above proposal
with certain observations
3) Letter no. 397-30. dt the
8th Nov 1906 from the
Registrar of the Civil
Court stating that
all the District Judges
& District Magistrates
condemn the 3 pie paisa
as being brittle and therefore unsuitable
now in use and requested
the subst. of paisa &
a more tenacious nature

Order thereon no H 3276-81 & 6th Nov 06
SR 46-05-11

The Retd. Stamp
Manufactory in his
letter read above brings
to notice the very large
stock of 3 pie paisa
calculated to last
for 15 years at the existing
rate of Consumption and
suggests against its c.
possible deterioration

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation Sheet draft form.*)

were low & Govt that the same should be increased to 1 annum & the Chairman Committee transfer receipts and that a fresh supply of a superior kind of paper be obtained instead, for the purpose of printing prohibitory Qs

2. All the Officers Consulted agree to the proposal but the Superintendent of Stamps apprehends that if the rule to the public be stopped, the necessary stock cannot be consumed in the way suggested, by the process - - - - than to years & therefore proposes that a part of the stock may be issued to the Press for printing Cheques & the rest issued for sale to the public at present adequate sufficient precautions being taken to prevent fraudulent

use of the paper so as to dispose of the existing stock at least in 5 years. If the paper used for printing Cheques is made available for the public, Govt. agree with the Comptroller in thinking that there would be facility for the commission of fraud. On the other hand the Chief Court condemn the present paper as being useless for Court purposes. But before taking any trial action on the suggestion of Mr Yates the whole matter should be carefully considered. The proposal of Mr Yates to appoint a Committee for the consideration of his suggestions commends itself to Govt and they are accordingly pleased to appoint a Committee consisting of

The Inspector of Forests & Chief Manufacturer
The Inspector of Stamps

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation Sheet draft form.*)

The Examiner of P.O. accounts and the Comptroller with the Local as to President to discuss the question and submit a report to Govt

To The Supdt Stamps & Stationery
The Supdt Govt Press
The Supdt of Printing
The Comptroller
The Examiner of P.O. accounts
The Registration Clerk
Cornwall

Secy
26.10.06

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No H4757
& 21-12-16

General and Revenue Secretariat
(J. P.)
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To The Commissioner

Date of issue _

Signed by _____

Sir

With reference
to G.O. No. H3276-87.8
the Govt. have decided
a Committee consis
You as President
to consider the q
of the disposal of the
Forest-Stock of
three pie paper
the supply of a lette
head paper, I am
directed to request
the favour of receiving fro
with the reports

over.

SUBJECT.

30 regulations does so far as to State
~~evidence~~ between
the report ~~of the~~
~~report~~ of the Committee may
~~be~~ accepted
& acted by
rule
21/12/06
for, obey
Bill
21/12/06
my

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Examined by

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SH 46-05-8C (13)

No. 3592/15

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT,

Dated Bangalore, the 21st December 1906.

FROM

RAI N. G. BASU BAHADUR, M.A.,

COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT.

To

K. S. Chandrasekhara Ayyar Esq.,

SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,

General and Political Department.

SIR,

In reply to your letter No. 4757 dated the 21st instant, I regret to report that owing partly to the absence of Mr. Scott on privilege leave, to delay in getting necessary papers from Mr. Upates and partly also to my inexperience in regard to district requirements for various kinds of papers, the working of the Committee has been unavoidably delayed and I have therefore been obliged to leave the matter for my successor.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

Comptroller.

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File No. 46/65
Serial No. 111

Diary No. of letter replied to 2596/3161

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

READ.— C.O. No H 3276-81- dt 14 46-05-11 of the Govt Noting, a proposal a Committee to Consider the suggestions of Mr Ch. Yates Supdt of the Steel Manufactory & for the Speedy Construction of the Iron Stock & Steel Watermarked Stamped Papers by Artificial Means for Printing Cheques Bank Receipts &c

Date of issue —

Signed by [illegible]

, the 28-2-1907

ORDER THEREON.—No. Order No H-6496-500 dt 28-2-07

over

SUBJECT

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4 In modification of
heads 3 & 4 of the above
Order of Govt dated
the 1st were pleased
to direct the Committee
Consisting of the Hon.
Comr the Supdt of Govt
Steel Manufactory &
Govt Press the Supdt of
Stamps & the Comptroller (to be joined with
the first named Officer
as the President) to
discuss the question &
submit a report to
Govt.

10/4-I.07

for Secretary

To the Hon. Comr with a copy of the order of the Council

The Comptroller
The Supdt of Stamps
The Supdt of Steel Manufactory
The Supdt of Govt Press

For info
4.1.07

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File No. 95
Serial No. 15

Diary No. of letter replied to 1776 3161

No. H69267
& 17 June/07

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To The Revenue Comrs.
Cus Mysore

Date of issue 17 June 07

Signed by W Wm Kincaid

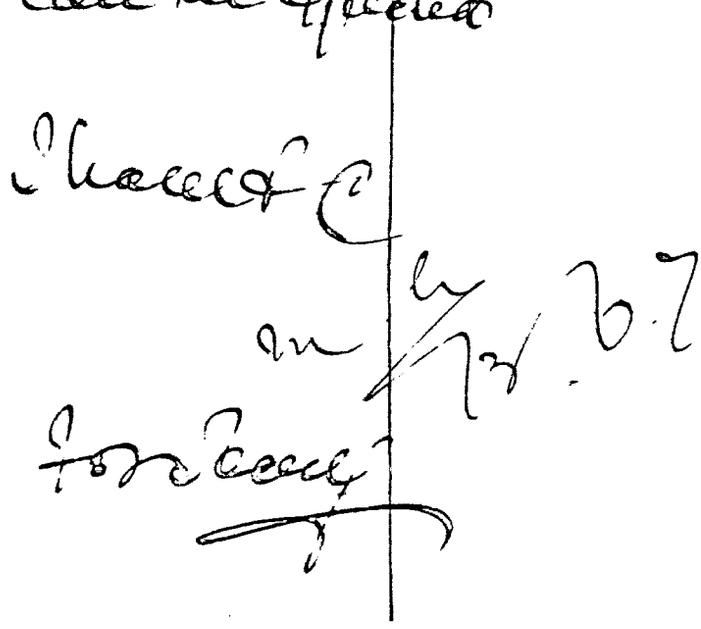
Sir

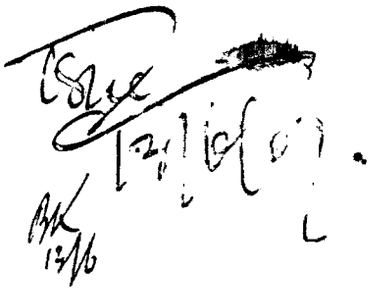
I am directed to invite your attention to Govt Memo no H6496-580-SSh 46-05-Rev 28/2/07 & to request a Committee to consider the suggestions of the Chief Engineers & the Chief Inspector for the speedy Consideration of the large stock of Stamped Vellum marked & unmarked papers & utilizing it for printing Cheques &c

over.

SUBJECT.

and to request the favour
of being informed as
when the report of
the Committee in the
matter case be expected





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MGCPB—30,000—16-2-05

No. 867

OFFICE OF THE REV. COMR. IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, 13th July 190 7.

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FROM

A. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Revenue Departments.

SIR,

With reference to Government Order No. R 6496-500/ S R 46-05-14 dated 28th February 1907 appointing a Committee consisting of the Superintendent of Stamp Manufactory, and Superintendent, Government Press, Superintendent of Stamps, the new Comptroller and myself to consider the question of the speedy consumption of the large stock of special water-marked 3 pie pap and your letter No. F Fl. 9267/ S R 216-05 dated 17th June 1907 requesting to be informedwhen the report of the Committee can be expected, I have the honor to state that to a reference made to the above officers on the 21st June 1907 requesting to be informed when a meeting may be convened and whether it may be held in the first week of July, the Superintendent, Government Press and the Superintendent of Stamps are agreeable to my proposal while no reply has yet been received from the new Comptroller.

2. In the meanwhile time as Mr. Sparkes has been appointed Commissioner of Stamps I beg to enquire whether it is not necessary or desirable that he should also be nominated as a member of the Committee.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

K Subbarao

For Revenue Commissioner.

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From

A. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Revenue Commissioner

in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Revenue Departments.

Dated 13th
Despatched 15th } July 1907.
Received
No. 867.

Enclosure No. —

Enquires whether it is not necessary or desirable that Mr. H. H. Sparkes should also be nominated as a member of the Committee appointed by the Govt re the speedy consumption of the large stock of Special paper marked 3/pie paper.

Young & Co., Printers, 2,000—6-3-07.

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No. 1298

OFFICE OF THE REV. COMR. IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, 22nd July 190 7.

From

A. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Revenue Departments.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No. 867 dated 13th/15th July 1907 re disposal of the 3 pie paper, I have the honor to submit herewith letter dated 19th July 1907 received from Mr. C. H. Yates, Superintendent of Government Press, suggesting that Mr. Sparkes may be nominated as a member of the Committee in place of the Comptroller who is desirous of being excused from serving on the committee.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Revenue Commissioner.

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Form 12.

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From

A. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Revenue Commissioner

in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Revenue Departments.

Dated 23 July 07

Despatched 24.

Received

No. 1298

Enclosure No. 1

Submitting a letter from
Mr C. H. Yates proposing
the name of Mr Sparkes
to serve on the Committee
re the 3 pie paper.

Young & Co., Printers, 2,000—6-3-07.

Mysore Government Press,

Bangalore 19 July 1907

Dear Sir,

I am naturally getting anxious about the question of the 3rd pie paper. I saw the Comptroller some time ago and he seemed desirous of being excused being on the committee on the ground of pressure of Budget work.

Don't

Don't you think that now that Mr. Sparkes has been appointed Commissioner of Stamps, he should be on the Committee? The paper comes under the heading of Stamps, I presume.

I feel we must make a report of some kind, or the Dasara assembly will be dropping on us.

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I hope you are quite recovered from your accident

Yours Sincerely

C. Y. Walker

A. Rangasamy Iyengar Esq
Revenue Comr. B.A. B.L.

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Serial No. 19

24-8

Diary No. of letter replid to 229 347

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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READ.—

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Date of issue 21st Aug. 07

Signed by W. Mc Kenzie

G.O no H 6496-50 d 28.2.07
S.R. 46-05-14
appointing a committee of the Revenue consr. the supt of Stamp manufactory Govt Press, the supt of stamps and the ~~Do~~ Comptroller with the first named

ORDER THEREON.—Mr Heer desires President to ~~discuss~~ consider the suggestions of members of Stamp manufactory for the speedy consumption of the large stock of special water marked ~~tree~~ bee ~~bee~~ by entrusting it for printing cheques transfer receipts &c.

over

SUBJECT

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2. Letter no. 567 & 13-7-07
Revenue com^r as
from the President of the committee
suggesting the appointment of Mr H H Sparkes as a
~~the Commissioner of stamps ex-officio~~
member of the committee

Order thereon No H 854-5 / S.R 46-05-18 & 21-8-07
Government are
pleased to appoint Mr H.H. Sparkes, Excise Commr and Ex officio
Commissioner of stamps as an additional
member of the committee, as
suggested by the President. It is
their desire that the committee
should discuss the question
very early and submit a
report to so that orders may be
passed in the matter before the
next meeting of the D.A. Assembly
C. The very early report called for is awaited
19-8-07
for Secretary

To. The Revenue com^r
Commissioner of stamps

Sdh 46-05-8 (9) (50)

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Office of the Revenue Commissioner
in Mysore,
Camp Mysore. 19th September 1907.
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From.

A. Rangaswami Iyengar Esq..B.A..B.L..
Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

To,

C. S. Balasundram Iyer Esq.,B.A.,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,Gen.& Rev.Deptts.

Sir,

With reference to Government Order No.Fl.6496-50/S.R.46-05-14 dated 28th February 1907, appointing a Committee for considering the suggestions of Mr. Yates,Superintendent of Stamp Manufactory, for the speedy consumption of the large stock of special water-marked three-pie paper, I have the honor to state that all the Members of the Committee met at the office of the Superintendent of the Government Press on the 9th September 1907 and discussed the question. I enclose herewith a copy of the Proceedings of the Committee as drawn up by me and circulated to the Members together with their suggestions appended thereto. It will be seen therefrom that the Committee have unanimously agreed to the proposal for utilising the existing stock of three-pie paper for printing forms etc in lieu of other paper now used on condition that an amount equal to the price of the latter is given as credit for the former.

2. I may state that no loss will be caused to Government by the disposal of the paper as now proposed but on the other hand there will be an actual saving of about Rs.19.000 & odd as shewn in the margin.

The cost of 20,281 Reams of paper supplied by Tathagur Mills.....	Rs.	66,067-15-7
Amount already realised	"	72,550- 0-0
Profit effected.....	"	6,482- 0-5
Amount estimated to be realised by the disposal of 10,000 Reams now remaining in stock at 3/7th of the original price .....7....		13,125- 0-0
Total.....		19,607- 0-5

3. The Committee have selected two samples of paper for substitution - (vide papers marked I & II enclosed - the one costing

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From A. Rangacharya Iyengar
[redacted], Esq., B. A., Bz
Revenue Commissioner
in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Rev. Departments.

Dated 19-9-07

Despatched 23-9-07

Received

No. C. 63

Enclosure No. One

Forwarding copy of the Proceedings of the Committee appointed for considering the question of speedy consumption of the large stock of three-pie water-marked paper.

V, B. S. & Sons, Bangalore—2,000-17-1-05.

costing 6 annas and the other 4 annas and 7 pies the lb. Both are tubsized and will be durable and handy If the cheaper paper be adopted the sale price of the paper at 2 pies each will be sufficient to meet the cost of the paper including Commission to Vendors and any losses caused by the damage etc and will also leave a slight margin of profit as suggested by Mr. Sparkes.

4. The Comptroller states that it is better not to reduce the price of the paper to 2 pies at once but that the present price viz.. 3 pies may be retained chiefly with a view to secure a margin of profit to Government, seeing that the receipts under law and justice are falling off and the stamp revenue also is not satisfactory. In view of these remarks Messrs: Krishna Iyer and Yates think that the reduction of price may not perhaps meet with the approval of Government. I think it is very doubtful if any revenue is intended to be derived from this source and whether it is reasonable to tax the public this way. But it is a question for the consideration of Government.

5. The members have given valuable suggestions in regard to the precautions to be taken for the withdrawal of the existing paper before the substitution of the new supply so as to prevent any fraud. These are not difficult of adoption and will be attended to by the Superintendent of the Press & the Officers concerned.

1. Notes on 3 pie paper.
2. Papers Committee selected for submission to Govt. with a sheet of 3 pie paper.
3. Mr. Yates' letter dated 9th Septr.1907.

6. The papers noted in the margin are submitted herewith.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Revenue Commissioner.

K.A.R.

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Draft Proceedings of the Committee appointed under Government Orders No.Fl.6496-50/S.R.46-05-14 dated 28th February 1907 and No.Fl.854-5/S.R.46-05-18 dated 21st August 1907 for considering the question of speedy consumption of the large stock of three-pie water-marked paper.

All the members met at 1 P.M. to-day at the office of the Superintendent of the Government Press and after a full discussion the following resolutions were passed.

1. A. Rangasami Iyengar Esq,B.A.,B.L., Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
2. H. H. Sparkes Esq., Excise Commissioner and EX-Officio Commissioner of Stamps.
3. U.L.Mujumdar Esq.,M.A., Comptroller to the Govt. of Mysore.
4. C. H. Yates Esq., Superintendent of Stamp Manufactory
5. K. Krishna Iyer Esq., Superintendent of Stamps.

1. The Committee agree that the present three-pie paper should be withdrawn from use in Courts for petitions, copies and other purposes.

2. The stock on hand amounting to about 10,000 Reams cannot possibly be got rid of except by permitting the Superintendent of the Government Press to use them in lieu of other paper now utilised for printing forms etc. giving as credit for the same, the price of the latter kind of paper.

3. In this way it is estimated that we shall realise about three sevenths of the cost price of the paper which is very much more than what the manufacturers offered to buy the paper back or ~~which~~ we can realise by disposing of it to the public.

4. Mr Yates hopes to be able to use up all the 10,000 Reams in about 2 years.

5. The Committee select the two samples one at six annas and the other at 4 annas 7 pies per lb. for substitution for the present three-pie paper. Both samples are tub-sized and will be

be durable and handy. They also recommend that if the cheaper paper be adopted, the sale price of this paper to the public may be fixed at 2 pies a sheet. This will meet the total cost of the paper including commission to vendors and other losses.

6. As regards the ~~color~~ colour of the paper, some of members prefer azure as being distinctive, but it has to be considered whether white should not be preferred having regard to the inferior kinds of ink used by the parties in the Districts.

7. A fresh water-mark has to be designed for the new paper as the old firm has in their possession the Dandyroll used for the water marking of the existing three pie paper. Mr. Yates has been requested to submit some designs for adoption.

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I would recommend ~~the~~ an addition to para 5
"and render a margin of profit to Government."

Sd/- H.H .Sparkes.
13-9-1907.

In my opinion it is better not to reduce the price of the paper to 2 pies at once. Our present estimate of probable cost is only approximate and it is necessary to see how the profits actually workout before reducing the cost. I forgot to mention the other day that the receipts under law and justice are falling off and our stamp revenue also is not satisfactory. Consequently no further reduction in whatever other direction would be safe just at this moment.

The Committee should also briefly indicate the steps to be taken to secure that the present stock is not fraudulently sold to the public after it has been formally withdrawn. For this purpose the new paper should be brought into use from a certain date to be specified and as soon as supplies are made the stock in hand on the morning of that date should be verified and returned to the Superintendent of Press. The Superintendent will also have to verify their receipts before giving credit in the stock accounts.

In the Superintendent's Office the stock account of the old paper should continue until the stock is exhausted. The former

for which that paper would be used would have to be counted by a responsible officer as soon as printed and credit given in the stock of accounts for only the numbers. The balance could be verified half yearly until all the sheets have been utilised for formes.

Sd/- U.L.Mujumdar.
14-9-1907.

In ~~The~~ consideration of the fact stated by the Comptroller that " the receipts under law and justice" are falling off and our stamp revenue also is not satisfactory " the question of selling the new paper to the public at the reduced rate of 2 pies each may not perhaps meet with the approval of Government.

In addition to other effective measures to be adopted to prevent the fraudulent sale of the present stock to the public after the introduction of the new paper I would suggest notices being published in the Gazette and the Amildars requested to inform the public as far as possible of the change.

Before the date specified on which the new paper should come into general use the stock of the three-pie paper now held by the various District and Taluk Treasuries should be verified and withdrawn and replaced by the new paper.

As regards the stock in the hands of the vendors value has already been realised and credited to Government after deducting the Commission due to them; but as it would be advisible for various reasons that the new paper should come into general use every where on and after a certain fixed date the various District and Taluk Treasury Officers should be instructed to order all the vendors to present themselves at the Treasury on some previous dated with the stock of the existing paper together with their registers and after receiving back the old paper to issue to the vendors the new paper making of course such adjustment as may be found necessary should there be any reduction in the sale price of the new paper.

Sd/- K.Krishna Iyer.

14-9-1907.

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In view of the Comptroller's remarks, I think it would be as well to retain the present price of the paper - 3 pies. From what I have read from time to time the complaint is not against its price: it is the poor quality complained of as only a two years purchase (2,000 reams) is proposed, I think the as 4.7 paper may be selected: it is very much better paper than the one now in use. If at the end of two years it is thought that a still better paper is desired then the as 6 one may be called for. From the water mark it will be seen that it is used by one of Indian States.

The various suggestions made by members of the Committee for safe-guarding the paper after it has been handed over to the Press could be acted upon without any great difficulty.

With regard to the withdrawal of the present paper, some arrangement will I presume, be made to permit purchasers of the paper to exchange it for the new if they should happen to have any not used in their possession after the date of withdrawal.

Sd/- C.H.Yates.
16-8-1907.

" C O P Y."

Revenue Commissioner.

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Notes on 3 pie Special Water Marked Paper.

1— Weight of 1 sheet of 3 pie Special Water Marked Paper is 91/4 of a tola and weight of one ream is 7 lbs. ——

2— The price of 1 sheet of Special Water marked paper excluding all charges is 1.3 pies but excludes commission to vendor and establishment charges. —— per sheet.

3— The assessment at present amounts to 1.5 pies.

4— The paper was first introduced in 1906. —

5. 20,281 reams were supplied by the ... Nagpur Mills at a cost of Rupees 66,067-15-7. The balance remaining on hand on the 1st July 1906 was 10741 reams of which nearly 80 reams are more or less damaged, so far as examined.

8381
9051 in head office
1689 in Districts.
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6— The average for 10 years works up at 1000 reams a year. ——

7— Total amount ~~amount~~ realized amounts to Rs. 72550 deducting Cost of whole stock at Rupees 31,005 leaving a profit of Rupees 41,545

8— The existing stock will last for ... years.

9— Nagpur Mills are willing to take back ... at 3 Rupees per ream delivered at Calcutta. —

10— Nagpur Mills are willing to supply the sale at 6 annas per ℔ delivered at Bombay. Deccan Mills can supply at 9 annas per ℔ —

AH 13.12.06.

Letter No 11 97 of 13 March 1906 from the Rev Com re stating that complaints are received that letters received from writers on this special water marked paper are damaged & torn owing to thinness of paper.

Letter No 220/S of 9th July 1906 from the Rev: Commrs recommending a superior kind of paper for introduction instead of the present kind of 3per S.I.R.Rs. Paper

(52) Office note giving suggestion.

51) Letter No No 67 of 19-8-1905 from the Secretary to Govt Revenue & Land Drafts recommending the kind of paper as desired by the Rev Com in his letter No 220/S of 5th July 1906 & returning the present stock for printing purposes

47 Letter from Deccan Paper Mills agreeing to supply paper as per sample as supplied to Govt of India.

29/8 Telephone Mills agreeing to supply better kind of paper at 5½ Rs per rm as according to sample of the present stock at 3½ Rs per rm ordered.

22. Discussed the Assembly Budget requirements & Govt to replace present stock of 3 kinds of the papers.

(21) Mess & Gow may the letters Nos 4383 of 9/12/06. & 5463 of 1 asking whether the 3 kinds of water marked papers be furnished & cost-price —

(18) Re change to calcutta from 66 mds + 22½ lbs to do 2530-60 and stating by people will there conversion.

(8) Balmer Lawrie & Co of the Bengal paper mills agree to supply the papers @ 6 as per lb delivered Bangalore provided they get the whole of Bandy if not a new order will be a cost of Rs 500/- will be added to the bill

(2) Messrs Birrie & Sons Aberdeen agree to supply @ 3¼ to 4½ d per lb delivered Madras.

1 Letter to Messrs Lawrie stating the difference between of using the 3 kinds present stock of papers.

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Stock on hand in Mysore Dy. Hd Quarters 8387
197 - Treasury 1538
9939
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Mysore Government Press,

Bangalore 9 9 1907

Dear Sir,

I am herewith (1) your pocket calling the comments (2) the notes for reference. (3) the papers to Committee selected to submission to Govt. Also a sample of the specimen paper on which [illegible] and watermark. In the meantime I will prepare some specimens of the watermark in other colours. You must note in your report that the papers selected are only to test the general quality of country papers. It is noted at Rs. 9 per lb. against Rs 4-7 and Rs. 6 respectively

If the paper were utilized in the way the Committee suggests, viz; for ordinary D.O. paper, covers & such numerous forms of a temporary nature as are required throughout all the Departments of the State, I think the amount now in hand could be consumed in about two years, & our ordinary stock of paper would be proportionately less. The paper would remain empurely stocked as now, & given out by the Stamp Department & duly accounted for by the Press. But we should not begin to use this paper until the new supply was distributed.

Some papers (Forms &c.) are clearly of a temporary nature, & I should use them without any hesitation where there was doubt, I should of course refer to the Debt.

Yours sincerely,

E. H. Walsh

A. Rangaswami Iyengar
Revenue Commissioner

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D.O. No. 676
Exc one.

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Office of the Commissioner of
Stamps in Mysore,
Dated, Bangalore 16th May 1918.

Dear Sir,

This refers to a different matter and will be submitted separately.

I am directed by the Commissioner of Stamps to send enclosed, in continuation of this office No. 669, dated 15th May 1918, a telegram received by the Stamp Superintendent from Messrs. John Dickinson & Co., Madras, soliciting urgent orders re the supply of additional quantities of 180 reams of Copy Stamp Paper and 720 reams of Three-pie Petition Paper, and to request you to kindly obtain immediate orders of Government in the matter.

16/5/18

Yours sincerely,

Bangalore Aiyangar

To

G. Srinivasa Iyer, Esq., B.A., M.L.,

Assistant Secretary to Government,

B.K.
16-5-18.

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POSTS TELEGRAPHS

NOTICE.

This form must accompany any inquiry made respecting this Telegram.

Charges to pay.

Office Stamp.

Handed in at (Office of Origin). Date. Hour. Minute. Service Instructions.

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TO

Supdt of Stores
Bungalore

Please refer Rums
Transmit Arrival telegram
Reply urgent

Dickinson

N.B.—The name of the office telegraphed, is written after the text.

Lal Chand & Sons—

For colours only

Azure coloured
if the idea of the
committee for a
different colour
is adopted.

Thus Shaws colour
& has nothing to do
with paper selected
as to quality

No. 6886/17

OFFICE OF THE REV. COMR. IN MYSORE,

Bangalore 23rd December 1907. *190*

S.R. 46-05-20 '08

FROM

A. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR ESQ., B. A., B. L.

Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue *Departments.*

SIR,

In continuation of my letter camp No. 63 dated 19th September 1907 reporting on the Proceedings of the Committee appointed to consider the suggestions of Mr. Yates for the speedy consumption of the existing stock of three-pie paper and recommending other samples of paper for substitution, I have the honor to submit for orders of Government letter dated 21st &&&&& December 1907 received from Mr. Yates forwarding as desired by the Committee a sample of water-mark paper in use in the Pudukota State for adoption.

I have the honor to be.

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

A. Ramaswamy Iyengar

For Revenue Commissioner.

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Rev. Comr.
Form 12.

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From

A. RUNGASWAMI IYENGAR, Esq., B.A., B.L

Revenue Commissioner,

in Mysore

To

The Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue *Department*

Dated 23rd

Despatched December 1907.

Received

No.

Enclosure No. —

Forwarding letter dated 21st December 1907 from Mr. Yates and the sample of paper sent by him for adoption.

Young & Co., Printers, Bangalore, 2,000—25-11-07.

Bangalore
21 December 1907

23/12/07

Sir,

As desired by the Committee which you called to discuss the question of the 3/- rise paper. I send herewith sample of a water mark paper which I think would do very nicely for the proposed new paper if the necessary arrangements were made.

Yours truly,

H. A. Yates

To.

A. Ringaswamy Iyengar Esquire
Revenue Commissioner in Mysore

No. 7305 Office of the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
Enc. one
Dated Bangalore. 9th January 1908.

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From

B.Ramaswamaiya,Esq.,B.A.,B.L.,
Assistant Commissioner in charge,
S.R. 46-05-21. Revenue Commissioner's Office.

To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.
General and Revenue Department.

Sir,

In continuation of this Office letter No.6686 dated 23rd December 1907 forwarding a sample of water-mark three-pie paper, I have the honor to forward herewith for information copy of Mr.Yates' (D.O.) letter of the 7th instant giving particulars of cost &c of the said paper.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Asst. Commissioner in charge,
Rev. Comm's Office.
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B.K.R.

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From B.Ramaswamaiya,Esq.,B.A.,B.L.,
Asst. Commr.in charge,
Rev. Commr's Office.

To
The Secretary to Govt. of
H.H.the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Rev. Dept^A.

Dated 9th January 1908.

Despatched 17

Received

General No. 7305

No.

Enclosure No.

Forwards Mr.Yates' D.O.letter, in re the water Mark three-pie paper forwarded with this office letter No.6686 dated 23rd Dec. 1907.

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Stamp Manufactory,

Bangalore, 7-1-1908.

Dear Sir,

In continuation of my letter of 21st December 1907 re the water-marked sample of paper, belonging to Puducotah State, which was enclosed in the above letter, I have obtained further particulars from the Importers stating that the cost of the dandy as used by the Puducotah amounts £25/- and if they are guaranteed that the supply of paper will be continued for 5 to 10 years at least with an average supply of 1000 reams or more they will make no charge for the dandy. The cost of paper will be Rs.9-8-0 per ream foolscap 14 lbs free Bangalore Railway Station which will amount to 11 annas per lbs.

Yours sincerely.

Sd/. C.H.Yates,

To

A.Rangaswami Iyengar, Esq.,B.A.,B.L.,

Revenue Commissioner.

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C O P Y ".

For Asst. Commissioner in charge
Rev. Commr's Office.

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Separate Revenue, dated 18th April 1908.

READ—

Correspondence ending with letter No. 7505, dated 9th—17th January 1908, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, regarding the disposal of the existing stock of the special water-marked three pie paper which is reported to be unfit for use and the supply of a better kind of paper.

No. Fl. 5399-14—S. R. 46-05-22, Dated Bangalore, 18th April 1908.

Order thereon.—There have been several complaints about the inferior quality of the paper now in use and its unfitness for the purposes for which it is prescribed and the substitution of a better kind of paper has been strongly urged. There is however a large quantity of the paper in stock likely to last for about 12 years at the present rate of consumption. On Mr. Yates' suggestion that the existing stock of paper might be utilized for printing D. P. W. Cheques, Transfer Receipts, etc., and that fresh supply of superior paper may be obtained, the question was referred to a committee under Government Orders Nos. Fl. 3276-81—S. R. 46-05-11 dated 6th November 1906, Fl. 6496-500—S. R. 46-05-14, dated 28th February 1907 and Fl. 854-5—S. R. 46-05-18, dated 21st August 1907, for consideration in all its details and submission of definite proposals. The Committee have accordingly considered the subject and they suggest that the existing stock of paper may be utilized for printing forms, etc., of a temporary nature in lieu of other paper now used by the Government Press, an amount equal to the price of the latter, estimated at Rs. 13.125 being taken as the value of the water-mark paper for purposes of accounts. The Committee also recommend that one of two samples of new paper be selected for future use as water-mark paper. The Committee suggest that the paper now in use may be withdrawn with effect from a date to be fixed by Government when the new paper will have been supplied to all the Treasuries. Government are pleased to accept the above suggestions of the Committee and approve of the paper (sample No. II forwarded by the Committee, costing 0-4-7 per lb) being adopted for use as water-mark paper. In order to distinguish readily the old from the new paper and to prevent any fraudulent use of the former, Government direct that the new paper be colored azure.

The water-mark, similar to that used by the Pudukota State, recommended by Mr. Yates at the desire of the Committee is also approved subject to the necessary verbal changes being made and the Mysore Coat of Arms being used. The new paper will be sold to the public at the same price as the present paper. The Superintendent of the Stamp Manufactory is requested to indent at once for a supply of 2,000 reams of this paper and a sum of Rs. 4,000 will be provided for the purpose in the budget of the Stamp Department for the year 1908-09. The amount that can be given credit to the Stamp Manufactory for 1908-09 on account of the paper now in use being utilized for printing purposes should be reported for the information of Government. The date on which the new paper will come into use will be duly notified in the Gazette. The Comptroller is requested to issue in communication with the Stamp Commissioner, the necessary instructions regarding stock taking etc., on that date.

C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller, Mysore Government.
The Commissioner of Stamps in Mysore.
The Superintendent of Stamps.
The Superintendent, Stamp Manufactory.
The Registrar of the Chief Court of Mysore.

Exd.—C. P. S.

1907-08

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

FINANCIAL
(SEPARATE REVENUE)

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 18th April 1908

No. Fl. 5309-14
S.R.46-05-22

Issuing certain instructions in regard to the disposal of the existing stock of the special water-marked three pie paper which is reported to be unfit for use and the supply of a better kind of paper.

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From

The Superintendent Stamp Manufactory Banpahar

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore General and Revenue Departments

Dated 25 April 08

Despatched S.R 46—05—23

Received

General No. 138
No.

Enclosure No.

Sir,

With reference to Government proceedings No. Fl. 5-309-14 dated 18th April 1908, I have the honor to state that messrs John Dickinson and Co Ltd have been ordered by me to supply at an early date 2000 reams of paper of approved pattern with the watermark and the Mysore coat of arms on the lines of the Poonkola paper.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant
C.H. Gates
Superintendent Stamp Manufactory